

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
GREENVILLE DIVISION

ALEX DURODE JOHNSON,

PETITIONER

v.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, ET AL.

RESPONDENTS

FINAL JUDGMENT

In accordance with the memorandum opinion issued today in this cause, the state's motion to dismiss is hereby **GRANTED**. The instant petition for a writ of *habeas corpus* is hereby **DISMISSED** with prejudice and without evidentiary hearing as untimely filed under 28 U.S.C. § 2244(d).

In addition, the court considered all of the proposed amendments that the petitioner set forth in his motions [7], [8] to amend his petition. As such, these motions are hereby **GRANTED**.

Finally, the petitioner moved [4] for a writ of mandamus, seeking an order from this court directing the Mississippi Supreme Court to take action on a document filed with that court. As this court has no jurisdiction to direct the Mississippi Supreme Court to act, the petitioner's motion [4] for a writ of mandamus is hereby **DISMISSED**.

SO ORDERED, this the 20th day of November, 2008.

/s/ W. Allen Pepper, Jr.
W. ALLEN PEPPER, JR.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE